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Communist Search for Technicians, South China

The Communist in their drive to recruit skilled laborers hired four hundred bus drivers and rechanics, who were sent to Swatow for further transshipment in China. Communists engaged in the recruitment program in Hong Kong are:

WU Tien-ming (吳天民), a former member of the Kuomintang in Canton, now an associate of T'MIG Huan-hua (舒焕華).

YAUG Pao-shen (楊寶 森). formerly an official of the Canton municipal government, who evacuated to the West River area with WU Chi-nan (五 新華). He is now employed by the Canton Public Security Bureau.

CHIEN Chia (陳佳), former director of the Canton Stevedore's Union.

CHOEN Shu-heiung (陳媛熊).

- Skilled mechanics recruited by the Communists for work in Tainen (113-, 22-) were first sent to Engling (112-19, 22-12) for Communist indoctrination and were then sent to their destination.
- The Canton Military Control Commission recently sent a representative to 3. Hong Kong to secure the aid of Chinese mine layers.

Arrest of Kwangtung Industrialist

4. The Canton Military Control Commission ordered the arrest of five prominent Kwangtung industrialist :. They are:

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HUALIG Tsun (黃 俊)

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Canton Post Office

IAO Chieh-min (前候民), a post o fice official, after his return from meetings in Feiping announced the following changes in the Canton Post Office:

- a. malified staff members will be sent to Southern University for training, at the end of which period they will be given assignments in other areas. During the training period the candidates will receive one-half their regular pay.
- b. Elderly employees will be asked to retire and will receive a small retirement fund.
- c. Three persons will do the work which had been done previously by five persons to promote economy.
- 6. The purchase of bonds by staff members and workers of the Canton Post Office is compulsory and each employee is required to spend about 15 percent of his monthly salary for this nurpose. A group of ten postal workers must purchase 100 shares of bonds at a cost of about 500 RK dollars. CHEM Chi-ming (PAR) I chief of the Personnel Department has subscribed for 20 shares.

Cauton Railroad Administration

7. The Canton Bailroad Administration has received an order from the Centon-Hankow Railroad Administration to carry out 75 military runs between Canton and Hankow by the end of February.